## REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in the application are requested.

Applicant's Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 filed on December 14, 2004 is considered non-compliant because it failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 in that a complete listing of all of the claims in the application was not present in the December 14, 2004 Amendment.

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliance, Applicant reports Claims 1-61 are in the case. Claims 1 - 44 were previously canceled in a Preliminary Amendment filed August 30, 2004. Claims 45-61 are currently canceled. New claims 62-77 have been added to the case and are currently pending.

Applicant re-submits the amendment to the claims in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 and respectfully requests entry of the amendment, allowance of claims and passage to issue of the case.

## **AUTHORIZATION**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for the timely consideration of this amendment under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4503, Order No. 2455-4074US5.

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